## SANTA MONICA MOUNTAINS CONSERVANCY



# ANNUAL REPORT

2011-2012 PROJECT ACTIVITY AND COMPREHENSIVE PLAN CERTIFICATION



State of California, Edmund G. Brown Jr., Governor
The Natural Resources Agency, John A. Laird, Secretary
Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

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## **MISSION STATEMENT**

Through direct action, alliances, partnerships, and joint powers authorities, the conservancy's mission is to strategically buy back,

## Preserve, Protect, Restore

And enhance treasured pieces of Southern California to form an interlinking system of urban, rural and river parks, open space, trails, and wildlife habitats that are easily accessible to the general public.



## **INTRODUCTION**

The Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy was established in 1980 following the passage of the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Act. This landmark legislation, amended five times since then to bring more of the Southern California mountains within the Conservancy's jurisdiction, has resulted in the preservation of over 65,000 acres of parkland, the improvement of more than 100 public recreational facilities, and numerous individual grants to nonprofit organizations for educational and interpretation programs that have served hundreds of thousands of children, seniors, and other park visitors.

The Conservancy consists of nine voting members, two ex-officio members and six legislative members. This policy-making entity for the Conservancy is broadly representative of state, regional, and local interests. The SMMC is responsible for the protection of OVER 65,000 acres of public parkland.

A twenty-six member Advisory Committee meets jointly with the Conservancy and offers citizens the opportunity for even greater participation. The composition of both the Conservancy and the Advisory Committee has greatly expanded since its inception.

The key to the Conservancy's success has been partnerships—cooperating landowners, local governments, joint powers entities, California State Parks and the National Park Service—all have contributed to the articulation of a greater vision for parks, open space, and natural habitat surrounding the Southern California metropolis.

This report will detail the financial activities of the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy for fiscal year 2011-2012.

## **CONSERVANCY MEMBERS**

July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012 Listed in statutory order pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 33200

#### **ELIZABETH A. CHEADLE**

CHAIRPERSON (From 1/2012)
Public Member Appointed by the Senate Rules Committee

## **ANTONIO GONZALEZ**

CHAIRPERSON (Through 1/2012)
Public Member Appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly

## IRMA MUÑOZ

VICE CHAIRPERSON (From 1/2012)
Member Appointed by the Mayor of the City of Los Angeles

## **JEROME C. DANIEL**

VICE CHAIRPERSON (Through 1/2012) Designee of Hon. Zev Yaroslavsky, Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors

## **LORENZA FONG**

ACTING SUPERINTENDENT (From 2/2012)
Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area

## **WOODY SMECK**

SUPERINTENDENT (Through 2/2012)
Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area

**VACANT** 

Public Member Appointed by the Governor

## **HON. LINDA PARKS**

SUPERVISOR Ventura County Board of Supervisors

## **BRYAN CASH**

Designee of the Secretary for Natural Resources, State of California Natural Resource Agency

## **CRAIG SAP**

SUPERINTENDENT, ANGELES DISTRICT California Department of Parks and Recreation

### RICHARD BLOOM

EX OFFICIO MEMBER Appointed by the California Coastal Commission

### **JOAN CARDELLINO**

EX OFFICIO MEMBER
Appointed by the State Coastal Conservancy

#### **TOM CONTRERAS**

EX OFFICIO MEMBER Supervisor of Angeles National Forest

### **MARTIN DUMPIS**

EX OFFICIO MEMBER (Through 8/11) Supervisor of Angeles National Forest

## **LEGISLATIVE PARTICIPANTS**

## HON. CAROL LIU, SENATOR, 21ST DISTRICT

Legislative Participant Appointed by the Senate Rules Committee

## HON. FRAN PAVELY, SENATOR 23RD DISTRICT

Legislative Participant Appointed by the Senate Rules Committee

## HON. EDWARD HERNANDEZ, SENATOR, 24TH DISTRICT

Legislative Participant Appointed by the Senate Rules Committee

## HON. JULIA BROWNLEY, ASSEMBLYMEMBER, 41ST DISTRICT

Legislative Participant Appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly

## HON. MIKE FEUER, ASSEMBLYMEMBER, 42ND DISTRICT

Legislative Participant Appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly

## HON. RICARDO LARA, ASSEMBLYMEMBER, 50TH DISTRICT

Legislative Participant Appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly

## **ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

## **DONALD J. ROBINSON, CHAIRPERSON**

Representative of the City of Westlake Village

## HON. GEORGE LANGE, VICE CHAIRPERSON

Representative of the Conejo Recreation and Park District

### **ALAN KISHBAUGH**

Representative of the City of Los Angeles

#### **ALLISON-CLAIRE ACKER**

Representative of the County of Los Angeles

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Representative of the City of Thousand Oaks

## **SEAN ANDERSON**

Representative of the County of Ventura

## **JEFFREY JENNINGS**

Representative of the City of Malibu

## **HON. MARY SUE MAURER**

Representative of the City of Calabasas

## HON. ILLECE BUCKLEY-WEBER

Representative of the City of Agoura Hills

## **HON. JON EDELSTON** (Through 1/12)

Representative of the City of Agoura Hills

## **GAREN YEGPARIAN**

Representative of the City of Burbank

## **MARC STIRDIVANT**

Representative of the City of Glendale

## HON. DONALD R. VOSS

Representative of the City of La Cañada Flintridge

## **ANITA FROMHOLZ**

Representative of the City of Pasadena

## **ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

## **CAROLINE BROWN**

Representative of the City of Sierra Madre

## HON. MICHAEL CACCIOTTI

Representative of the City of South Pasadena

## **PAUL RABINOV**

Representative of the unincorporated communities within the jurisdiction of the Eastern Rim of the Valley Trail Corridor

## **NANCY STEPHENS**

Public Member Appointed by the Governor

#### **WENDY-SUE ROSEN**

Public Member Appointed by the Governor

#### **DAVE BROWN**

Public Member Appointed by the Senate Rules Committee

### **TIMOTHY WENDLER**

Public Member Appointed by the Senate Rules Committee

## **EFFIE TURNBULL SANDERS**

Public Member Appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly

## **SEAN ARIAN**

Public Member Appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly

## **HON. ELAINE L. FREEMAN**

Representative of the Rancho Simi Recreation and Park District

### HON. PAUL ROCKENSTEIN

Representative of the Pleasant Valley Recreation and Park District

## RICHARD GOULD

Representative of the City of Santa Clarita

## **HON. ROSEANN MIKOS**

Representative of the City of Moorpark

## STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

The Conservancy's strategic objectives continue to be guided by the goal of an interlinking network of parks, trails, and open space for public use and wildlife habitat, ensuring future open space and recreational lands in Los Angeles and Ventura Counties. The goals and objectives were initially set in the Santa Monica Mountains Comprehensive Plan and the Rim of the Valley Trail Corridor Master Plan. They have been updated through a strategic planning process which included substantial public input.

## IMPLEMENT THE SANTA MONICA MOUNTAINS COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

- Complete fee and less than fee acquisition program
- Cooperate with National Park Service (NPS) and State Parks in implementing the Joint Efficiencies MOU
- Cooperate with NPS management plan for Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area (SMMNRA) and Santa Monica Mountains Zones
- Continue to maximize acquisition dollars by leveraging funds where appropriate

## IMPLEMENT THE RIM OF THE VALLEY TRAILS CORRIDOR MASTER PLAN

- Complete land acquisition recommendations of the Plan
- Complete trails and trail amenities recommended by the Plan
- Cooperate with private sector in providing recreational opportunities
- Continue to maximize acquisition dollars by leveraging funds where appropriate

## IMPLEMENT THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY RIVER MASTER PLAN

- Create 51 miles of continuous river parkway and greenbelt
- Develop recreation, park, trail and habitat restoration opportunities
- Increase community involvement
- Cooperate with local government and non-profit partners and maximize acquisition dollars by leveraging funds where appropriate

## IMPLEMENT THE SAN GABRIEL AND LOS ANGELES RIVERS WATERSHED AND OPEN SPACE PLAN

- Restore balance between natural and human systems in the watersheds
- Land: Create, expand, and improve public open space and recreation for all communities, connect open space with a network of trails
- Water: Maintain and improve flood protection, establish riverfront greenways to cleanse water, improve quality of surface water and ground water
- Planning: Coordinate watershed planning across jurisdictions and boundaries, encourage multiobjective planning and projects, use science as a basis for planning

# FURTHER COOPERATION WITH LOCAL GOVERNMENTS IN THE REGION TO SECURE OPEN SPACE AND PARKLAND

- Strengthen partnership agreements with local governments and establish new joint powers entities throughout the region where appropriate
- Ensure that Conservancy land acquisition expertise is made available where needed
- Reduce State work load by utilizing local agency agreements and state and local partnerships wherever possible
- Develop comprehensive plan for areas not covered by initial Conservancy Comprehensive Plan and incorporate and link those areas to protect species and ecosystems

## EXPAND EFFORTS TO INTEGRATE NATURE INTO THE URBAN ENVIRONMENT

- Acquire or create parkland in urban areas that lack open space or natural parks
- Link and integrate new natural parks into existing park system—literally via transportation and physical linkages, thematically via programs and events
- Develop joint powers authorities with local government entities and urban interests
- Maximize funding opportunities through partnerships

# EXPAND EDUCATION, PUBLIC ACCESS, AND RESOURCE STEWARDSHIP COMPONENTS IN A MANNER THAT BEST SERVES THE PUBLIC, PROTECTS HABITAT, AND PROVIDES RECREATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- Expand local government, school district, and nonprofit ventures to provide increased educational and access opportunities
- Link key habitat areas strategically to protect species and ecosystems through acquisition and cooperation with other resource management agencies
- Increase resource stewardship and educational/ interpretative capabilities within the zone
- Create comprehensive, regional, and integrated trails plan
- Develop long term capital improvement and maintenance plans



# ENCUMBERING STATE FUNDS CERTIFICATION INTEREST COSTS

The Budget Act requires the Conservancy to make three certifications before encumbering state appropriated funds for the purchase or acquisition of real property that requires the payment of interest costs, late fees or penalties. These certifications are needed whether or not the encumbrance is direct or through a public agency intermediary, including the State Public Works Board.

#### THE CERTIFICATIONS ARE:

- 1. That the purchase is necessary to implement an acquisition identified in the high priority category of the work program submitted annually to the Legislature pursuant to Section 33208 of the Public Resources Code, or amendments made thereto; and
- 2. That the purchase agreement does not involve interest payments or terms in excess of those that the State Public Works Board may enter into pursuant to Section 15854.I of the Government Code; and
- 3. That the purchase agreement does not commit the state to future appropriations.

The budget language also includes a reporting requirement should the Conservancy choose to encumber funds as described above. The language requires the Conservancy to report to the Legislature no less frequently than twice yearly, concerning the status of any purchases certified and the amount of state funds thus far encumbered for interest, penalties, or other principal surcharges.

During fiscal year 2011-2012, the Conservancy did not encumber any state appropriated funds for the purchase or acquisition of real property directly or through any public agency intermediary that requires the payment of interest costs, or late fees or penalties.







## **WORKPROGRAM PRIORITIES**

"Of the top 25 ranked acquisition projects determined in 2000, the Conservancy, State Parks, and other agencies have acquired or permanently protected 13 of these projects in their entirety, and six additional projects in part, bringing more than 14,000 acres into public ownership."

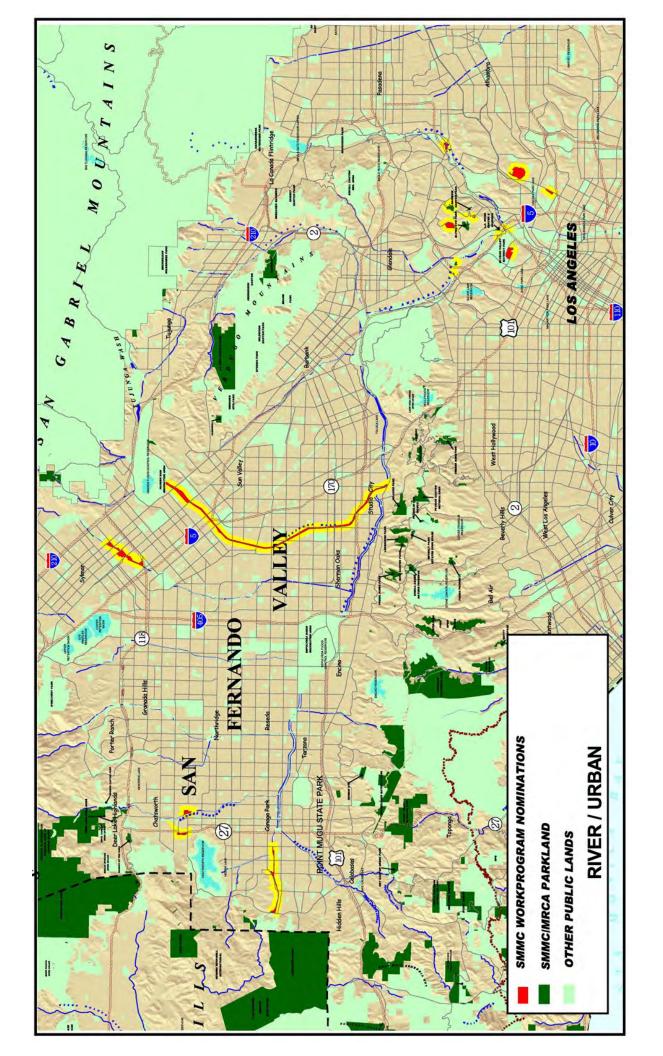
Since the Conservancy adopted its Land Acquisition Workprogram and its Improvement and Development Project Workprogram in 2000 and 2001, respectively, the evaluation criteria for both documents have been emulated and lauded within the State Natural Resources Agency. These criteria demonstrate a viable means of quantifying a diverse set of project attributes to produce a priority ranking list. This list has served the Conservancy well in its allocation of State bond funds approved by the voters including Propositions 12, 13, 40, 50, and 84. Of the top 25 ranked acquisition projects determined in 2000, the Conservancy, State Parks, and other agencies have acquired or permanently protected 13 of these projects in their entirety, and six additional projects in part, bringing more than 14,000 acres into public ownership. Two more of the top 25 projects, the Dayton Canyon dedication in the Simi Hills, and the Big Tujunga golf course dedication in the San Gabriel Mountains, are protected through the California Environmental Quality Act process but no interest in land has yet to be transferred to a public agency.

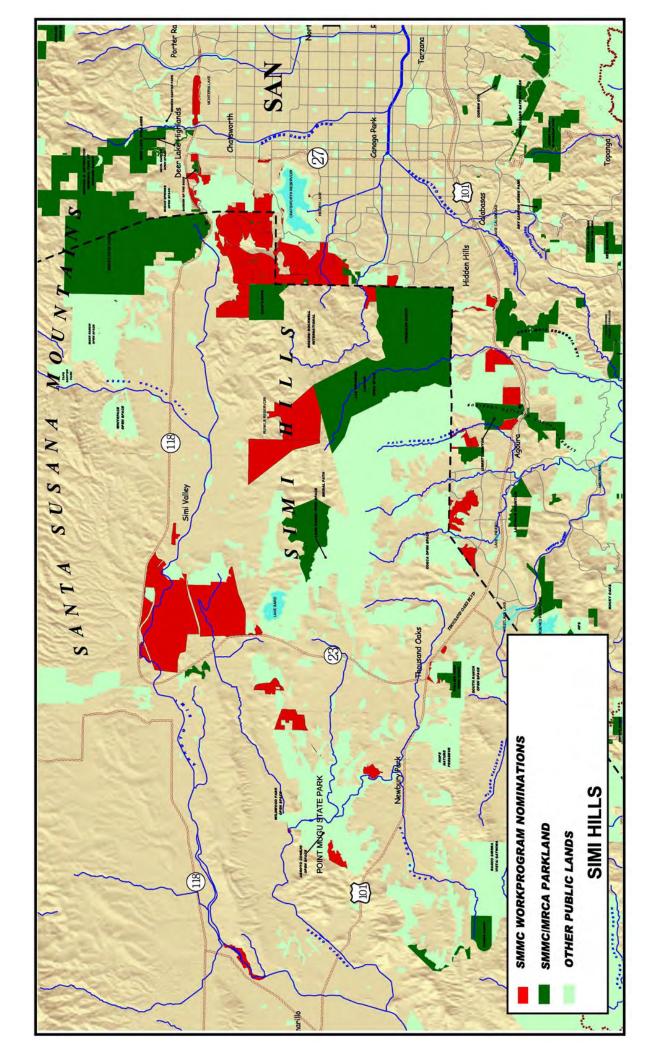
Workprogram projects are grouped by the following planning areas that are depicted on the following maps. These maps provide the name and location every project on the Acquisition Workprogram.

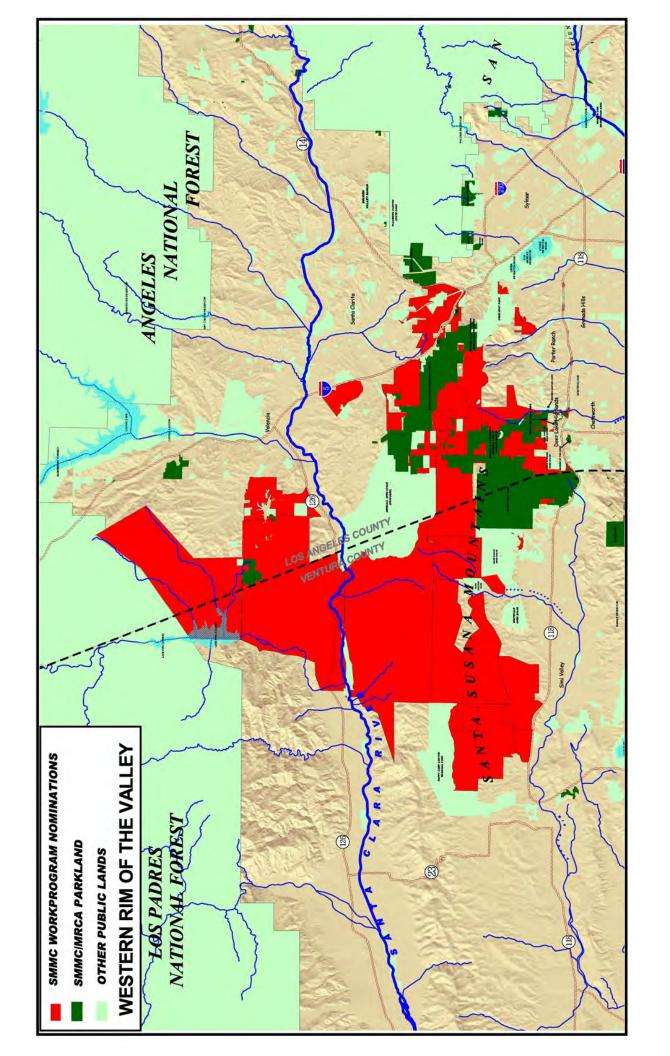
Workprogram projects are grouped by planning area:

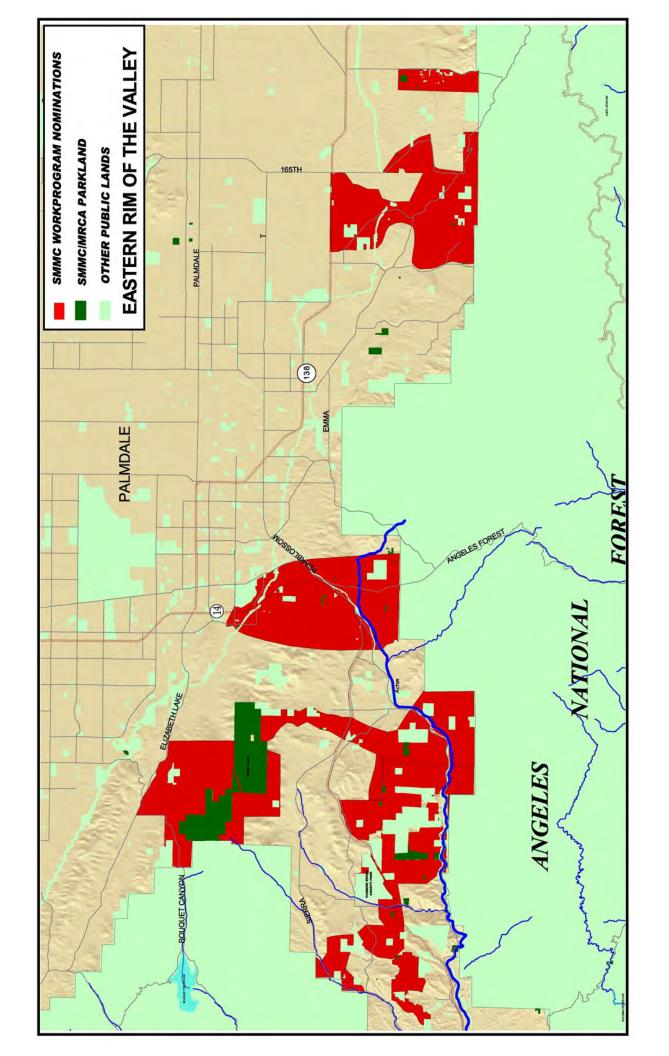
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- Simi Hills
- Western Rim of the Valley WROV
- Eastern Rim of the Valley EROV
- Western Santa Monica Mountains WSMM
- Eastern Santa Monica Mountains ESMM

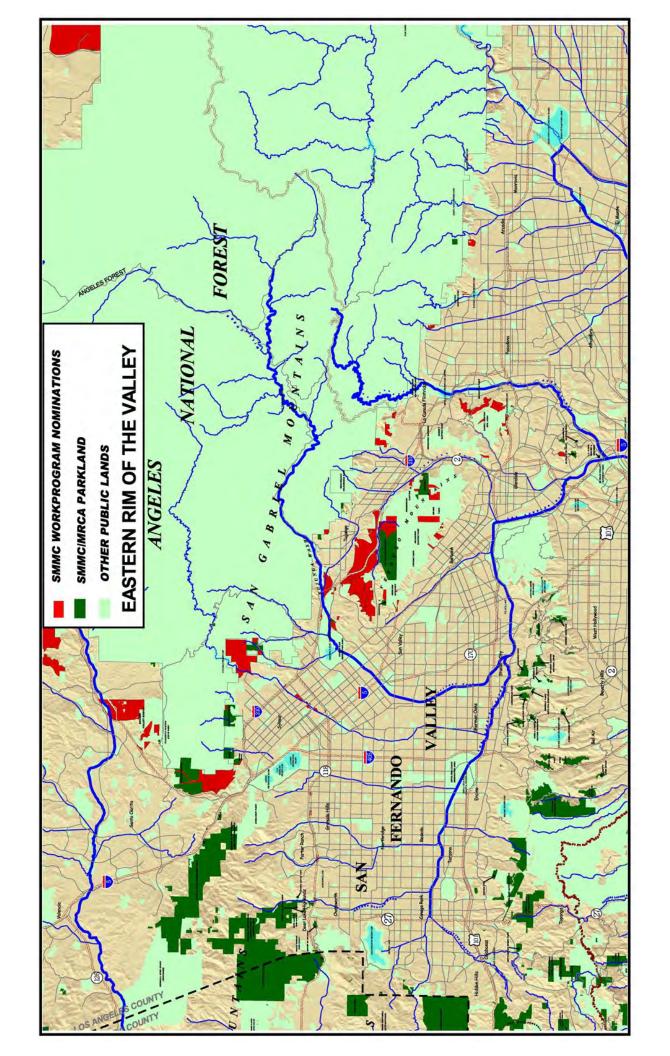
Refer to Attached Workprogram Maps

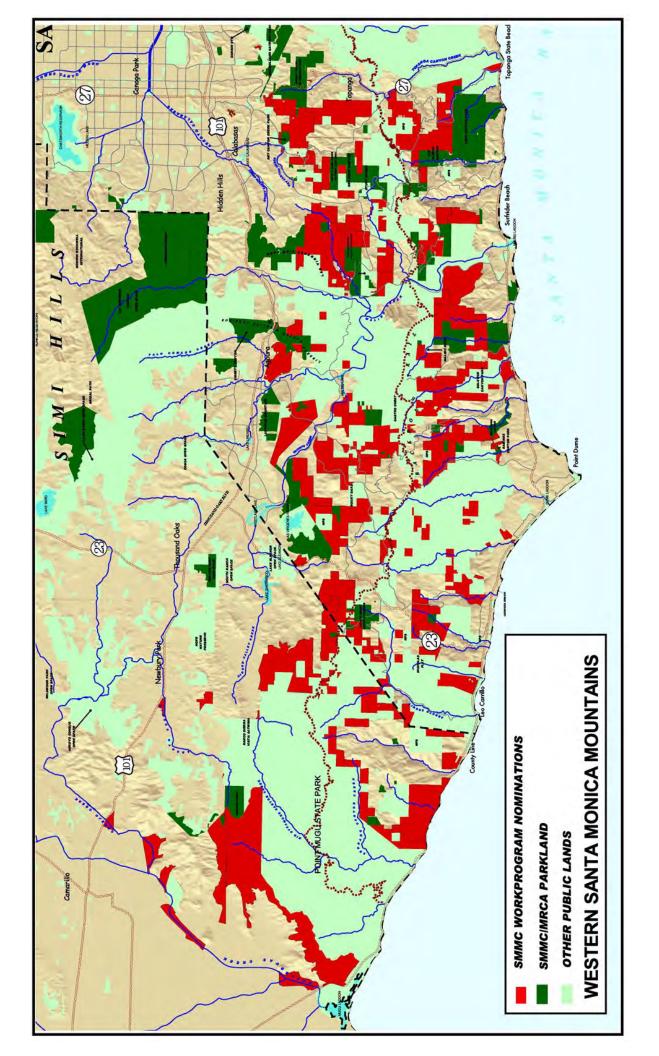


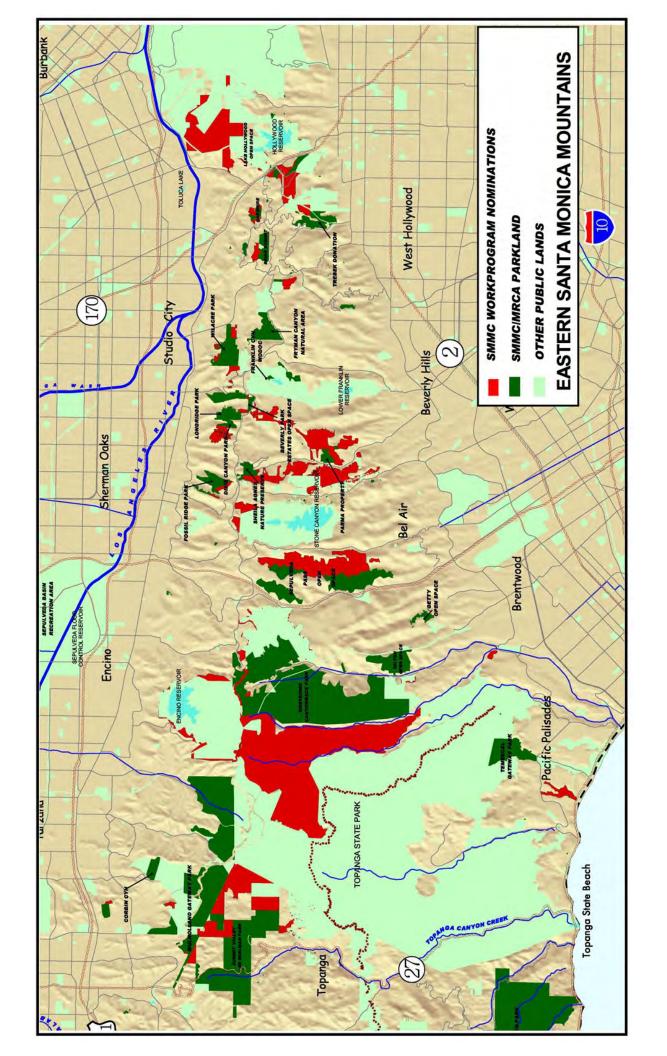












## **GOVERNMENT ACTIONS REVIEW**

## **PLAN APPROVAL**

The Secretary of the Interior approved the Santa Monica Mountains Comprehensive Plan on November 10, 1979, thereby making the Conservancy and local governments within the Santa Monica Mountains Zone eligible for the authorized five-year, \$30 million federal grant program provided for in Section 507(n) of the National Parks and Recreation Act of 1978. The grant eligibility period ended in 1985 without the Department of the Interior awarding any grants. While no grants were awarded, Section 507 provided an alternative method of transferring federal money to state and local governments by authorizing reimbursements for land purchased after establishment of the recreation area. This cooperative funding mechanism has resulted in over \$34 million being spent for high priority acquisitions in the Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area.

#### **FEDERAL REPORT**

The Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation (SMMNRA), a unit of the National Park System, continues to provide federal support to the mission of Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy in the form of cooperative management resources and land acquisition funding in the Santa Monica Mountains. A Cooperative Management Agreement was signed by the agencies in May 2008 that authorizes the exchange of goods and services to accomplish cooperative management and enhancement of local, state, and federal parklands. The value of efficiencies gained through cooperation under the agreement is approximately \$800,000. These savings are retained by the cooperating agencies and reinvested into core operational requirements and key public services.

In June 2012, the Anthony C. Beilenson Interagency Visitor Center was opened at King Gillette Ranch in the historic heart of the Santa Monica Mountains. The federal American Reinvestment and Recovery Act provided \$9.5 million in funding for the construction of the visitor center, which was named for the former

congressman who in 1978 introduced legislation to create the SMMNRA. The first LEEDs Platinum visitor center in the National Park Service system, it will be jointly managed by the National Park Service, California State Parks, Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy, and the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority.

Some of the other resources the National Park Service has committed for parkland management purposes in the Santa Monica Mountains in the last three years include:

- \$1,880,000 for acquisition of 160 acres for watershed protection from the Land & Water Conservation
- \$233,000 in a task agreement with MRCA for preparing the forthcoming interagency SMMNRA Trail Management Plan from the 2005 SAFETEA-LU transportation bill.
- \$465,000 for acquisition of the remaining two privately owned parcels on 65-mile Backbone Trail (acquisition underway) from the Los Angeles County Natural Land for Trails grant program. Another \$60,000 of federal funding was also expended for acquisition of a critical private property along Backbone Trail.
- \$139,500 on repairs to the 65-mile Backbone Trail on State parkland.
- \$220,000 for operation of the William O Douglas Outdoor Classroom at Franklin Canyon, and for other environmental education purposes;
- \$2,100,000 for acquisition of watershed properties in Solstice Canyon and construction of the Backbone Trail as appropriated under the 2005 Federal Transportation Act (SAFETEA-LU) and through local grants;
- \$43,000,000 in operational resources to conduct natural and cultural resource science and protection, law enforcement, interpretation and education, and facility planning and maintenance programs;
- \$2,000,000 in fire management services and grants for fuel reduction and fire prevention.





## **BONDED INDEBTEDNESS**

The Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Act requires a "listing" of the amount of money necessary to retire bonded indebtedness already incurred which would contribute to further development in the mountains inconsistent with the Comprehensive Plan. The origin of this requirement is Section 507(n) of the National Parks and Recreation Act of 1978 which permits the Secretary of the Interior to grant federal funds to retire indebtedness found to contribute to inappropriate development.

To date, no municipal water or utility district has indicated any willingness to apply for such a "buy out" grant. Nor is it apparent that bonded indebtedness per se is acting as an inducement for more development. During administrative consideration of the 1980-81 Governor's budget, the Conservancy proposed undertaking a study of the need for utility "buy out" grants. That budget proposal was not approved and no study has been conducted.

## **OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF PARKLANDS**



The Conservancy receives no state funding for the operation and maintenance of its properties. Under an Memorandum of Understanding for these services with a local public park agency, the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority, the Conservancy saves the state more than \$1.7 million annually at a net benefit of more than \$828,000

The Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy owns thousands of acres of public parkland and park facilities and serves as a repository for open space and trail dedications within its jurisdiction. The Conservancy receives no state funding for the operation and maintenance of its properties. The management of Conservancy land including operations, maintenance, patrol, and resource monitoring is performed under a

memorandum of understanding with the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority (MRCA), a local public park agency, from property or program generated fines or fees and other non state funding sources. Under the agreement, for no additional consideration, the MRCA provides services to the public in a coordinated and integrated fashion, and creates efficiency through sharing of expertise, personnel, and equipment.

## Management of Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Properties Pursuant to Memodrandum of Understanding with Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

## Schedule of Revenues Generated and Operating Expenses Fiscal Year 2011-2012

Location	Revenue	Ex	penses	Net ber	nefit to SMMC
Corral Canyon	\$ 9,07	4 \$	25,276	\$	16,202
Wilacre	\$ 154,50	3 \$	38,283	\$	(116,220)
ULV	\$ 167,94	1 \$	122,204	\$	(45,737)
Red Rock	\$ 5,10	9 \$	36,964	\$	31,855
Ramirez Canyon Park	\$ -	\$	186,668	\$	186,668
Escondido	\$ -	\$	5,985	\$	5,985
Franklin	\$ 188,79	0 \$	267,134	\$	78,344
Temescal	\$ 436,84	4 \$	570,997	\$	134,153
Ranger Patrol		\$	357,987	\$	357,987
On-Site Management		\$	178,994	\$	178,994
Total	\$ 962,26	1 \$	1,790,492	\$	828,231

## LOCAL AGENCY COMPLIANCE

When the Santa Mountains Comprehensive Plan was adopted by the State Legislature in 1979, it set a new standard for land protection policies and guidelines in Southern California. A report on the local government signatories to the Santa Monica Mountains Comprehensive Plan is made annually, with respect to those local agencies' actions to implement the Plan. In recognition of the Plan's importance and value, both the City and County of Los Angeles, the City of Thousand Oaks, and the County of Ventura adopted resolutions that year containing commitments to implement the Plan. Compliance of each of these jurisdictions in the last year is addressed below.



#### **CITY OF THOUSAND OAKS**

The City of Thousand Oaks' strong record of adherence to the Comprehensive Plan continued throughout 2011-2012. The City continues to maximize its acquisition of open space and to minimize the footprint of deleterious development projects. The Conejo Open Space Conservation Agency, the joint powers agency formed by the City and the Conejo Recreation and Park District, also continues to manage thousands of acres of open space in a manner consistent with the Plan.



## **COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

Over the last year, Los Angeles County's level of compliance with the Comprehensive Plan has been exceptional. The Regional Planning staff increasingly understands and anticipates the planning principles represented in the Plan. The County staff increasingly works to require mitigation measures suggested in Conservancy comment letters.



### **COUNTY OF VENTURA**

Regulatory actions regarding land use within unincorporated Ventura County are generally consistent with the Comprehensive Plan and with the resolution adopted by the Ventura County Board of Supervisors in 1979. Prior years' concerns have lessened somewhat regarding incremental single family residential development in the upper reaches of the Little Sycamore Canyon and Arroyo Sequit watersheds, adjacent to Point Mugu State Park, since the pace of land divisions has been reduced. However, this regionally significant watershed is still an area of concern; the County's project review must better address cumulative visual impacts and biological fragmentation as well as overdraft of groundwater supply. The County has advanced significantly in requiring open space deed restrictions.



#### **CITY OF LOS ANGELES**

The City of Los Angeles' compliance with the Comprehensive Plan has been good with the one exception of projects that pose threats to habitat connectivity. Those projects are located both within and outside the Mulholland Scenic Parkway Specific Plan area. The Plan provides for maximizing the protection of scenic resources within the Mulholland scenic corridor. The City's environmental review process must better consider wildlife movement corridors and general habitat connectivity in its environmental analyses to be consistent with the Plan. Most Mitigated Negative Declarations include no such analysis or even recognition of site-specific habitat connectivity issues.



## **CITY OF AGOURA HILLS**

Although not an original signatory to the Santa Monica Mountains Comprehensive Plan, which predated the City's incorporation, the City of Agoura Hills consistently sets a high bar for environmental review. However, recent City actions have left narrower habitat buffers and have not shown a prior unparalleled regard for habitat and viewshed protection.



### **CITY OF CALABASAS**

Although not an original signatory to the Santa Monica Mountains Comprehensive Plan which predated the City's incorporation, the City of Calabasas continues to be active in open space protection and adequately mitigating development projects in the spirit of the Plan. Each year the City makes legislative advances that increase inherent open space protection levels citywide.



## **CITY OF WESTLAKE VILLAGE**

Although not an original signatory to the Santa Monica Mountains Comprehensive Plan which predated the City's incorporation, the City of Westlake Village this year has only approved infill projects with diminimous impacts.



#### **CITY OF MALIBU**

Although not an original signatory to the Santa Monica Mountains Comprehensive Plan which predated the City's incorporation, the City of Malibu is just partially in compliance with the Comprehensive Plan because of inconsistent and usually unsuccessful efforts to obtain public trail or open space easements or restrictions.

## FINANCIAL SUMMARY

## **FUND CONDITION REPORT\***

Fund Balance Forward as of July 1, 2011:	\$220,031.17
New Revenue for year 2011-2012:	\$496,400.00
Expenditures for year 2011-2012:	\$188,500.00
Fund Balance as of June 30, 2012:	\$527,931.17

<sup>\*</sup> Information provided by Department of General Services Contracted Fiscal Services

## **Summary Statement of Capital Outlay Fund Condition through June 30, 2012\***

Revenue Source	Original Appropriation	Appropriation after Sec. 28, Budget Revision, or Executive Order	Encumbered through 6/30/2012	Funds not Encumbered
Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Fund	6,700,000	6,700,000	6,920,419	0
Safe Neighborhood Parks, Clean Water, Clean Air, and Coastal Protection Bond Fund - Proposition 12	39,664,000	39,664,000	39,664,000	0
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Safe Drinking Water, Clean Water, Watershed Protection and Flood Act of 2000				
Proposition 13	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	0
Clean Water, Clean Air, Coastal Protection				
Bond Fund - Proposition 40	36,776,000	36,776,000	33,673,485	3,102,515 **
Water Security, Clean Drinking Water,				
Coastal and Beach Protection Act of 2002	37,613,000	37,613,000	34,223,092	3,389,908 ***
Safe Drinking Water, Water Quality and Supply, Flood Control, River and Coastal Protection				
Fund of 2006	50,297,000	50,297,000	38,372,532	11,924,468
TOTAL	176,050,000	176,050,000	157,853,528	18,416,891

<sup>\*</sup> Information provided by Department of General Services Contracted Fiscal Services

<sup>\*\* \$2,758,237</sup> is available for encumbrance; \$344,278 has reverted.

<sup>\*\*\* \$582,069</sup> is available for encumbrance; \$2,807,839 has reverted.

# Consolidated Statement of Capital Outlay Fund Condition and Local Assistance through June 30, 2012\*

Revenue Source	Original Appropriation	Appropriation after Sec. 28, Budget Revision, or Executive Order	Encumbered through 6/30/2011	Funds not Encumbered
SANTA MONICA MOUNTAINS CONSERVAN	ICY FUND			
Item 535, Ch. 510/80	1,000,000	1,000,000	997,489	2,511
A. Grants & Acquisitions	150,000	853,500	852,664	836
B. Buffer Zone Projects	150,000	11,500	9,825	1,675
C. Excess & Tax Deeded Properties	700,000	135,000	135,000	0
Item 3810-301-941, Ch. 324/83	5,000,000	N/A	5,330,930	557,553
A. Project Planning & Design	100,000	N/A	100,000	0
B. Capital Outlay & Grants	4,900,000	N/A	5,230,930	557,553
Item 3810-301-941, Ch. 258/84	700,000	N/A	592,000	108,000
A. Capital Outlay & Grants	700,000	N/A	592,000	108,000
SAFE NEIGHBORHOOD PARKS, CLEAN WA	TER, CLEAN AIR, AND	O COASTAL PROTECTI	ON BOND FUND -	
PROPOSITION 12				
Item 3810-301-0005	17,500,000	10,000	17,490,000	0
A. Capital Outlay and Grants	17,500,000	10,000	17,490,000	0
Item 3810-302-0005	1,500,000	N/A	1,500,000	0
A. Whitney Canyon	1,500,000	N/A	1,500,000	0
Item 3810-301-0005	11,555,000	N/A	11,555,000	0
A. Phase 1-Acq. Zanja Madre	2,500,000	N/A	2,500,000	0
B. Santa Monica- Mt./Rim Vly Trail	9,055,000	N/A	9,055,000	0
Item 3810-301-0005	728,000	N/A	728,000	0
A. Capital Outlay and Grants	728,000	N/A	728,000	0
Item 3810-301-0005	2,705,000	N/A	2,705,000	0
A. Capital Outlay Acquisitions	2,705,000	N/A	2,705,000	0
Item 3790-102-0005 (dx)	946,000	N/A	946,000	0
A. Augustus F. Hawkins Natural Park	946,000	N/A	946,000	0
Item 3790-102-0005 (ix), Ch. 52/00	4,730,000	N/A	4,730,000	0
A. Arroyo Seco Confluence Park	4,730,000	N/A	4,730,000	0
SAFE DRINKING WATER, CLEAN WATER, PROPOSITION 13	WATERSHED PROTEC	TION AND FLOOD ACT	Г ОF 2000 -	
Item 3810-301-6015	5,000,000	N/A	5,000,000	0
A. Marsh Street	5,000,000	N/A N/A	5,000,000	0
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CLEAN WATER, CLEAN AIR, AND COASTA' PROPOSITION 40	L PROTECTION BOND	FUND -		
Item 3810-301-6029	12,000,000	N/A	12,000,000	0
A. Environmental Acquisition/Restoration	12,000,000	N/A	12,000,000	0
Item 3810-301-6029	12,000,000	N/A	11,773,722	226,278
A. Environmental Acquisition/Restoration	12,000,000	N/A	11,773,722	226,278
Capital outlay and grants				

Item 3810-301-6029	12,400,000	N/A	9,899,763	2,500,237	
A. Environmental Acquisition/Restoration	12,400,000	N/A	9,899,763	2,500,237	
Capital outlay grants and acquisitions	, ,		, ,	, ,	
Item 3810-301-6029	118,000	N/A	0	118,000	
A. Environmental Acquisition/Restoration	118,000	N/A	0	118,000	
Capital outlay and grants					
Item 3810-301-6029	258,000	N/A	0	258,000	
A. Environmental Acquisition/Restoration	258,000	N/A	0	258,000	
Capital outlay and grants					
WATER SECURITY, CLEAN DRINKING WAT	FER. COASTAL AND REACH				
PROTECTION ACT OF 2002	EIG CONSTITE IN DEFICI				
Item 3810-301-6031	3,143,505	N/A	3,142,249	1,256	5
A. Los Angeles River watershed protection	3,143,505	N/A	3,142,249	1,256	
land, water and wildlife conservation				,	
Item 3810-301-6031	1,000,000	N/A	965,688	34,312	5
A. Los Angeles River watershed protection	1,000,000	N/A	965,688	34,312	
public access					
Item 3810-301-6031	5,356,495	N/A	5,356,495	0	
A. Santa Monica Bay/Ventura County	5,356,495	N/A	5,356,495	0	
coastal watersheds protection					
Item 3810-301-6031	4,448,911	N/A	4,448,911	0	
A. Los Angeles River watershed protection	4,448,911	N/A	4,448,911	0	
land, water and wildlife conservation					
Item 3810-301-6031	5,051,089	N/A	5,050,980	109	
A. Santa Monica Bay/Ventura County	5,051,089	N/A	5,050,980	109	
coastal watersheds protection					
Item 3810-301-6031	6,621,043	N/A	6,573,112	47,931	5
A. Los Angeles River watershed protection	6,621,043	N/A	6,573,112	47,931	
land, water and wildlife conservation					
Item 3810-301-6031	375,000	N/A	160,700	214,300	5
A. Los Angeles River watershed protection	375,000	N/A	160,700	214,300	
public access					_
Item 3810-301-6031	2,043,957	N/A	1,779,150	264,807	,
A. Santa Monica Bay/Ventura County	2,043,957	N/A	1,779,150	264,807	
coastal watersheds protection	460.000	37/4	440.000	<b>7</b> 0.000	5
Item 3810-301-6031	460,000	N/A	410,000	50,000	,
A. Santa Monica Bay/Ventura County	460,000	N/A	410,000	50,000	
coastal watersheds protectionpublic access	2 427 541	TAT / A	004.000	1 452 541	
Item 3810-301-6031  A. Los Angeles River watershed protection	2,436,541	N/A	984,000	1,452,541	
land, water and wildlife conservation	2,436,541	N/A	984,000	1,452,541	
Item 3810-301-6031	475,000	N/A	444,069	30,931	
A. Los Angeles River watershed protection	475,000	N/A	444,069	30,931	
public access					
Item 3810-301-6031	4,198,459	N/A	3,615,682	582,777	
A. Santa Monica Bay/Ventura County	4,198,459	N/A	3,615,682	582,777	
coastal watersheds protection					

Item 3810-301-6031	1,390,000	N/A	1,261,125	128,875
A. Santa Monica Bay/Ventura County	1,390,000	N/A	1,261,125	128,875
coastal watersheds protectionpublic access				
Item 3810-301-6031	17,500	N/A	0	17,500
A. Los Angeles River watershed protection	17,500	N/A	0	17,500
public access				
Item 3810-301-6031	17,500	N/A	0	17,500
A. Santa Monica Bay/Ventura County	17,500	N/A	0	17,500
coastal watersheds protectionpublic access				
SAFE DRINKING WATER, WATER QUALITY	AND SUPPLY, FLOOD CON	TROL.		
RIVER AND COASTAL PROTECTION FUND		11102,		
Item 3810-301-6051	10,000,000	N/A	8,203,112	1,796,888
A. Acquisition and Local Assistance Grants:	10,000,000	N/A	8,203,112	1,796,888
watershed protection activities throughout				
the watershed of the Upper Los Angeles River				
Item 3810-301-6051	7,000,000	N/A	6,832,754	167,246
A. Acquisition and Local Assistance Grants:	7,000,000	N/A	6,832,754	167,246
protection of Santa Monica Bay and its				
watersheds				
Item 3810-301-6051	10,000,000	N/A	9,984,213	15,787
A. Acquisition and Local Assistance Grants:	10,000,000	N/A	9,984,213	15,787
watershed protection activities throughout				
the watershed of the Upper Los Angeles River				
Item 3810-301-6051	10,000,000	N/A	9,945,432	54,568
A. Acquisition and Local Assistance Grants:	10,000,000	N/A	9,945,432	54,568
protection of Santa Monica Bay and its				
watersheds				
Item 3810-301-6051	8,300,000	N/A	2,216,364	6,083,636
A. Acquisition and Local Assistance Grants:	8,300,000	N/A	2,216,364	6,083,636
protection of Santa Monica Bay and its				
watersheds				
Item 3810-301-6051	4,000,000	N/A	1,190,657	2,809,343
A. Acquisition and Local Assistance Grants:	4,000,000	N/A	1,190,657	2,809,343
protection of Santa Monica Bay and its				
watersheds				

<sup>\*</sup> Information provided by Department of General Services Contracted Fiscal Services

<sup>1.</sup> Funds revert to fund of origin (SMMC Fund) and were available for expenditure under Item 3810-301-941, Ch. 324/83

<sup>2.</sup> This figure represents "spending authority"; however, the actual cash balance in the Conservancy Fund was \$496,255 which was available for expenditure from the spending authority appropriated in Item 3810-301-941, Ch. 258/84.

<sup>3.</sup> A \$1,000,000 abatement from the Lake Sherwood project makes the actual expenditures for this item total more than the appropriation.

<sup>4.</sup> This is the unencumbered spending authority; however, the Conservancy Fund cash balance was \$291,868, and was subsequently expended for the Conservancy's FY 87-88 support reimbursement.

<sup>5.</sup> Funds reverted no longer available for expenditure.

<sup>6.</sup> Subsequent to a 30-day notification to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee and the Department of Finance, these funds were redirected to the acquisition of Lower Solstice Phase I from the original appropriation for Lower Corral Canyon.

<sup>7.</sup> Projects originally authorized included Cabrini and Elmwood Canyons. The funds were re-appropriated in 1988 to the projects listed.

## PROJECT ACTIVITY AND COMPREHENSIVE PLAN CERTIFICATION

Section 33208(a)(1) of the Public Resources Code provides that the annual report shall include a listing of, and justification for, the projects to be undertaken pursuant to Section 33204, a statement of the condition of the fund, and a certification that each of the projects proposed to be funded are consistent with the plan.

As part of the resolution authorizing action on each project undertaken by the Conservancy, a certification is made that it is consistent with the Comprehensive Plan as provided in Section 33208(a)(1).

The following are project reports, including information on grants for the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy for fiscal year 2011-2012.

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Youth Campgound PP&D (City of Glendale)
Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** City of Glendale

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** City of Glendale

**Total Grant Amount:** \$50,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051 **Board Actions (Date):** 11/10/08

**Board Actions (Date):** 11/10/0 **Resolution Number:** 08-87

## III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

A planning study to determine the feasibility of a youth-oriented, overnight campground in the Verdugo Mountains, San Rafael Hills, or Deukmejian Wilderness Park in the City of Glendale.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project is ongoing, near completion.

## **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: Sunnynook Park improvements (City)
Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

**Location/Park Name:** Los Angeles River Bikeway

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** City of Los Angeles

**Total Grant Amount:** \$1,350,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 6/23/08 **Resolution Number:** 08-53

## III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Create a new 3.4 acre park directly adjacent to the existing Los Angeles River Bikeway north of the Glendale-Hyperion bridge.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project is ongoing.

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code Caballero Creek Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** Caballero Creek

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$250,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 1/23/12 **Resolution Number:** 12-07

## III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Planning, design and engineering for the Caballero Creek & Los Angeles River Confluence Park, a 1.55 acre parcel located in the west San Fernando Valley at the confluence for the Los Angeles River and Caballero Creek. The project will increase public access and ecological function to the planned greenway along the Los Angeles River, create a publicly accessible riverfront park with water treatment, education and habitat restoration components. The site is connected significant habitat in the Santa Monica Mountains and the Sepulveda Basin Wildlife Reserve.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

Project ongoing.

## **ACQUISITION**

Project Name/Code: Coastal Slope Trail & Malibu Public Works Plan Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Acquisition Location/Park Name: Malibu

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$3,300,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 8/27/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-76

## III. AMENDMENTS

Amendment Amount:\$1,100,000.00Funding Source(s):Proposition 84Item of Appropriation:3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 11/8/10 **Resolution Number:** 10-52

**Total Grant Amount:** \$4,400,000.00

## IV. NARRATIVE

Acquire approximately 24 acres (apns 4467-002-042-044 and 060), unincorporated Malibu area.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project ongiong.

## **ACQUISITION**

Project Name/Code: Coastal Slope Acquisitions Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Acquisition

Location/Park Name: Coastal Slope Trail between Latigo and Ramirez Canyon

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$407,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 1/25/10 **Resolution Number:** 10-05

## III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Acquisitions to implement Coastal Slope Trail between Latigo and Ramirez Canyon.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project is ongoing.

## **INTERPRETATION**

Project Name/Code: Interpretation Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Interpretation

Location/Park Name: Los Angeles River and Santa Monica Bay Watersheds

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$1,550,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 7/9/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-53

## III. AMENDMENTS

Amendment Amount:\$875,000.00Funding Source(s):Proposition 84Item of Appropriation:3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 1/24/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-03

**Total Grant Amount:** \$2,425,000.00

## IV. NARRATIVE

Interpretation of the Los Angeles River and Santa Monica Bay Watersheds, including visitor serving amenities and naturalist led interpretive programs for the public as well as programs specifically designed for disadvantaged youth.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project ongoing.

## **INTERPRETATION**

Project Name/Code: Interpretation Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Interpretation

**Location/Park Name:** Los Angeles River and Santa Monica Bay Watersheds

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$600,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 5/21/12 **Resolution Number:** 12-35

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Interpretation of the Los Angeles River and Santa Monica Bay Watersheds, including visitor serving amenities and naturalist led interpretive programs for the public as well as programs specifically designed for disadvantaged youth.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Joint-Use Feasibility Study (non-profit)
Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** N/A

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** People for Parks

**Total Grant Amount:** \$50,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 5/12/08 **Resolution Number:** 08-37

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

### IV. NARRATIVE

Feasibility study to identify and select a joint-use project with the Los Angeles Unified School District.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project Complete.

### **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: King Gillette Ranch Improvements Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

**Location/Park Name:** King Gillette Ranch

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$500,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 7/9/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-61

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Preservation, protection and restoration of King Gillette Ranch, Calabassas.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Marsh Park Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** Marsh Park

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

Total Grant Amount:\$400,000.00Funding Source(s):Proposition 84Item of Appropriation:3810-301-6051Board Actions (Date):10/20/08Resolution Number:08-79

### III. AMENDMENTS

Amendment Amount:\$3,000,000.00Funding Source(s):Proposition 84Item of Appropriation:3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 11/8/10 **Resolution Number:** 10-51

**Total Grant Amount:** \$3,400,000.00

### IV. NARRATIVE

Design, development and implementation of Phase II of the Marsh Park project, Los Angeles.

#### V. PROJECT STATUS

### **IMPROVEMENT**

**Project Name/Code: Minor Capital Outlay Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy** 

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

Location/Park Name: Los Angeles River and Santa Monica Bay Watersheds

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$400,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 6/23/08 **Resolution Number:** 08-53

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

### IV. NARRATIVE

A program of minor capital outlay to ensure the preservation, protection, and restoration of developed and natural resources within the Los Angeles River and Santa Monica Bay Watersheds.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

### **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: Pacoima Wash - 8th Street Park Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

**Location/Park Name:** Pacoima Wash 8th Street Park

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$1,200,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 5/12/08 **Resolution Number:** 08-36

### III. AMENDMENTS

Amendment Amount:\$700,000.00Funding Source(s):Proposition 84Item of Appropriation:3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 6/25/12 **Resolution Number:** 12-45

**Total Grant Amount:** \$1,900,000.00

### IV. NARRATIVE

Construct park improvements for the Pacoima Wash - 8th Street Park.

#### V. PROJECT STATUS

### PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: El Dorado Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

Location/Park Name: El Dorado

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$200,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 2/27/12 **Resolution Number:** 12-15

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Project planning, design, engineering and community outreach for the Pacoima Wash Greenway, El Dorado Park. The project will create new public access and wildlife habitat to the planned greenway along the Pacoima Wash by the conversion of an approximately 1.2 acre vacant parcel into a natural open space with new recreational, education and water-quality improvements features, including landscaped walking and fitness trails, free-play meadows, education station, stormwater treatment, and picnic and community gathering spaces. The site is a linear parcel in the San Fernando Valley community of Pacoima adjacent to Pacoima Wash, which connects ecologically significant habitat in the San Gabriel Mountains as well.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

### PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Elephant Hill Planning Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** Elephant Hill

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$100,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 5/21/12 **Resolution Number:** 12-36

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

#### IV. NARRATIVE

Project planning and design of Elephant Hill Open Space in the El Sereno area of Los Angeles. This scope conducts the project planning and design activities needed to permanently protect a strategic portion of 110-acre Elephant Hill, one of the largest undeveloped natural areas remaining in Northeast Los Angeles. The MRCA's objective is to create a cohesive park unit that offers access to Elephant Hill's natural amenities, including vistas and relict habitat. With this grant, the MRCA will conduct the analysis necessary to prioritize parcels and conduct outreach to property owners.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Piggyback Yard Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

Location/Park Name: Piggyback Yard

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

Entity Grant is From: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy
Grantee: Los Angeles River Revitalization Corps

**Total Grant Amount:** \$150,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 12/5/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-82

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

#### IV. NARRATIVE

Project planning and design of the acquisition of future development of the Los Angeles river front open space

### V. PROJECT STATUS

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Taylor Yard Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** Taylor Yard

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

Entity Grant is From: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy
Grantee: Los Angeles River Revitalization Corps

**Total Grant Amount:** \$120,000 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 8/26/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-67

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

#### IV. NARRATIVE

Project planning and design for the Taylor Yard (G-2 site), Upper Los Angeles River Watershed. This 42-acre site includes over two miles of river frontage to the soft-bottom portion of the river. Primarily because for the large size of G-2 and its proximity to naturalized open space, G-2 had been designed as a prime restoration site for habitat and water quality in the San Gabriel and Los Angeles River Watershed and Open Space Plan, and the Los Angeles River Revitalization Master Plan.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Parklands Map Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

Location/Park Name: Santa Monica Mountains and Rim of Valley Corridor

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

Grantee: Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$150,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 2/25/08 **Resolution Number:** 08-18

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

### IV. NARRATIVE

Produce a new parklands and open space map.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

Project ongoing, near completion.

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Project Planning and Design Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** Los Angeles River and Santa Monica Bay Watersheds

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$750,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 7/9/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-54

### III. AMENDMENTS

**Amendment Amount:** \$550,000 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 3/28/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-21

**Total Grant Amount:** \$1,300,000.00

### IV. NARRATIVE

Project Planning and Design services in the upper Los Angeles River watershed and coastal watersheds of the Santa Monica Bay.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Project Planning and Design – Lechuza Beach Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Project Planning and Design Location/Park Name: Lechuza Beach, Malibu

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$100,000 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 12/5/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-79

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Project Planning and Design services for the Lechuza Beach Public Access Improvements Project in Malibu.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

## **INTERPRETATION**

Project Name/Code: Ranger Programs Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Interpretation

Location/Park Name: Santa Monica Mountains and Rim of Valley Corridor

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$204,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 5/12/09 **Resolution Number:** 08-39

### III. AMENDMENTS

Amendment Amount:\$200,000.00Funding Source(s):Proposition 84Item of Appropriation:3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 5/23/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-42 **Total Grant Amount:** \$404,000

### IV. NARRATIVE

Interpretive program development and delivery for ranger led public programs and ranger-led interpretive programs specifically designed for disadvantaged youth.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

### **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: SMMNRA Interagency Visitor Center Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

**Location/Park Name:** King Gillette Ranch

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$340,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 9/22/08 **Resolution Number:** 08-66

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Restoration to LEED standards and adaptive reuse of 1928 Wallace Neff-designed historic structure at King Gillette Ranch Park for Santa Monica Mountains interagency visitor/interpretive center, with partners National Park Service.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

### **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: Upper Las Virgenes Open Space Preserve Improvements Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

**Location/Park Name:** Upper Los Virgenes Canyon Open Space Preserve

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$300,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 

**Resolution Number:** 08-40

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Preservation, protection, and restoration of Upper Las Virgenes Canyon Open Space Preserve, Calabasas.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

### **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: Vegetation Management Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

Location/Park Name: Santa Monica Mountains and Rim of Valley Corridor

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$2,150,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 7/9/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-57

### III. AMENDMENTS

Amendment Amount:\$500,000Funding Source(s):Proposition 84Item of Appropriation:3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 5/23/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-43

**Total Grant Amount:** \$2,650,000.00

## IV. NARRATIVE

Protection and restoration of natural and developed resources by removal of invasive plant species, reduction of hazardous fire-fuel loads, and erosion protection.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Restoration project proceeding.

### **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: Vista Hermosa Park Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

**Location/Park Name:** Vista Hermosa Park

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$1,658,823.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 7/9/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-52

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Exercising additive alternates to the base bid for the Vista Hermosa Park and funding additions and upgrades to the landscaping, Los Angeles.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: West Mulholland Trailhead Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Project Planning and Design
Location/Park Name: West Mulholland, Woodland Hills

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$1,000,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 7/25/05 **Resolution Number:** 05-54

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

### IV. NARRATIVE

Planning and construction of the West Mulholland Watershed Demonstration Facility, Woodland Hills.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project in planning stage.

# **CAPITAL EQUIPMENT**

Project Name/Code: Fuel Hazard Reduction and Restoration Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Capital Equipment

**Location/Park Name:** Santa Monica Mountains and Rim of Valley Corridor

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$500,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 7/9/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-56

### III. AMENDMENTS

Amendment Amount:\$100,000Funding Source(s):Proposition 84Item of Appropriation:3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 11/8/10 **Resolution Number:** 10-47 **Total Grant Amount:** \$600,000

### IV. NARRATIVE

Purchase of capital equipment.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

Fire equipment acquired; project ongoing.

## **INTERPRETATION**

Project Name/Code: Anahuak Youth Camping Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Interpretation

**Location/Park Name:** Los Angeles River and Santa Monica Bay Watersheds

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

Entity Grant is From: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Grantee: Anahuak Youth Sports Association

**Total Grant Amount:** \$50,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 1/24/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-07

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

This non-profit grant directly to Anahuak will fund the development and implementation of

an overnight camping program at Temescal Gateway Park, on the site previously occupied by

the swimming pool.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Arroyo Seco Trail Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Project Planning and Design Location/Park Name: Arroyo Seco, South Pasadena

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** City of South Pasadena

**Total Grant Amount:** \$150,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 1/24/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-06

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Project planning and design for a pedestrian and bike path along the Arroyo Seco in the City of South Pasadena, including a geotechnical study and creation of construction documents.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

# **ACQUISITION**

Project Name/Code: Elephant Hill Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Acquisition Location/Park Name: Elmer

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$636,500.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 8/29/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-65

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

### IV. NARRATIVE

Acquisition and improvements at Elephant Hill to provide public access to 5 acres in order to preserve scarce open space and natural resources in the dense, underserved community of El Sereno; restore up to 2 acres of woodland or riparian habitat and remedy drainage problems of the site using the management practices.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

# **ACQUISITION**

Project Name/Code: Elmer Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Acquisition Location/Park Name: Elmer

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

Grantee: Los Angeles and San Gabriel Rivers Wastershed Council

**Total Grant Amount:** \$127,411.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 1/24/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-05

### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

### IV. NARRATIVE

Project planning and design of the Elmer Avenue Paseo project. The project will replace impervious asphalt in a blighted alleyway with a swale/infiltration trench system, native drought-tolerant plants, and a pervious public pathway.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

### **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: Hollywood Bowl Overlook Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

**Location/Park Name:** Hollywood Bowl Overlook

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$250,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 3/28/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-22

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Planning and construction of restoration and improvements to the Hollywood Bowl Overlook in the City of Los Angeles to improve visitor accommodations and restore the site's resources.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

## **CONSTRUCTION**

Project Name/Code: Ceasar Chavez/Sheldon Arlete Recreation Area Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** 

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** City of Los Angeles

**Total Grant Amount:** \$1,00,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 4/25/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-31

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

To construct a permanent natural area within the boundaries of Cesar Chavez Recreation Complex in the San Fernando Valley and Los Angeles River watershed.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Green Solutions Phase III study (non-profit)
Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** Santa Monica Mountains and Rim of Valley Corridor

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

Entity Grant is From: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Grantee: Community Conservancy International

**Total Grant Amount:** \$298,902.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 5/23/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-40

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Provide an in depth background about CCI's existing "Green Solution" storm water runoff management concept. Illustrate how the next proposed step will bring the benefits of several ready to go projects that will, in turn, demonstrate the function and feasibility of "Green Solution" projects.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

# PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Downtown Trail System (non-profit)
Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** Los Angeles River

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

Entity Grant is From: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Grantee: Los Angeles Forum of Architecture

**Total Grant Amount:** \$7,500.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 5/23/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-41

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Fund the matching portion for the Los Angeles River portion of the project. The Los Angeles River Trail will feature a self-guided, color blazed interpretive trail through the downtown riparian corridor, where the river itself can be very difficult to find. The project will focus on the social, ecological and geographic consequences of paving L.A.'s historic river and the potential consequences of the revitalization of the river downtown.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project cancelled.

### **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: River Center Improvements Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

Location/Park Name: Los Angeles River Center and Gardens

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$750,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 5/23/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-45

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Planning and construction of restoration and improvements to the Los Angeles River Center and Gardens (River Center) in the City of Los Angeles.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project cancelled.

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code Pacoima Wash Greenway Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** Pacoima Wash

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

Grantee: Pacoima Beautiful

**Total Grant Amount:** \$175,000 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 84 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6051

**Board Actions (Date):** 6/27/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-49

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Project planning and design of the Pacoima Wash Greenway.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

### **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: Franklin Canyon Improvements Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

**Location/Park Name:** Franklin Canyon Park

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$250,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 50 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6031

**Board Actions (Date):** 1/23/06 **Resolution Number:** 06-05

### III. AMENDMENTS

**Amendment Amount:** \$200,000 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 50 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6031

**Board Actions (Date):** 12/5/11 **Resolution Number:** 11-81 **Total Grant Amount:** \$450,000

### IV. NARRATIVE

Improvements to Franklin Canyon Park.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

Improvements ongoing.

### **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: King Gillette Ranch Development Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

**Location/Park Name:** King Gillette Ranch

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$300,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 50 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6031

**Board Actions (Date):** 4/30/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-29

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

### IV. NARRATIVE

Protection and restoration of land and water resources at King Gillette Ranch, unincorporated County of Los Angeles.

# V. PROJECT STATUS

Project ongoing, near completion.

### **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: Non-Native Vegetation Removal Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

Location/Park Name: Temescal Gateway Park and Ramirez Canyon Park

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$75,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 50 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6031

**Board Actions (Date):** 6/5/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-47

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Protection of land and water resources, specifically the removal of non-native trees and vegetation, at Temescal Gateway Park, Los Angeles, and Ramirez Canyon Park, Malibu.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project is complete.

# **ACQUISITION**

Project Name/Code: Coastal Slope Acquisitions Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Acquisition

Location/Park Name: Coastal Slope Trail between Latigo and Ramirez Canyon

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** 

**Funding Source(s):** Proposition 50 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6031

**Board Actions (Date):** 7/30/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-65

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Acquisitions to implement Coastal Slope Trail between Latigo and Ramirez Canyon.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Great Wall Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** 

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

Entity Grant is From: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Grantee: Social and Public Art Resource Center

**Total Grant Amount:** \$375,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 50 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6031

**Board Actions (Date):** 5/22/06 **Resolution Number:** 06-40

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Planning and development of "Revising the Forgotten History of Los Angeles: The Los Angeles River, the Great Wall of Los Angeles and the Heritage Parkscape" project.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

# **ACQUISITION**

Project Name/Code: Northeast Hilltops Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

### I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Acquisition

Location/Park Name: Northeast Los Angeles

### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$99,583.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 50 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6031

**Board Actions (Date):** 1/28/08 **Resolution Number:** 08-09

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

### IV. NARRATIVE

Acquisition of tax defaulted property in Northeast Los Angeles.

### V. PROJECT STATUS

Project is ongoi

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Project Planning and Design – Lechuza Beach Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Project Planning and Design Location/Park Name: Lechuza Beach, Malibu

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$83,000

**Funding Source(s):** Proposition 50 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6031

**Board Actions (Date):** 1/24/11 **Resolution Number:** 11/08

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Project Planning and Design services for the Lechuza Beach Public Access Improvements Project in Malibu.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project is ongoing.

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: West Mulholland Trailhead Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Project Planning and Design
Location/Park Name: West Mulholland, Woodland Hills

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$834,285.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 50 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6031

**Board Actions (Date):** 7/25/05 **Resolution Number:** 05-54

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Planning and construction of the West Mulholland Watershed Demonstration Facility, Woodland Hills.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project in planning stage.

## **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: Le Mesnager Barn Historic Restoration Project Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

Location/Park Name: Deukmejian Wilderness Park

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** City of Glendale

**Total Grant Amount:** \$1,200,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 40 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6029

**Board Actions (Date):** 3/24/03 **Resolution Number:** 03-46

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Improvements of the Le Mesnager historic site, Deukmejian Wilderness Park, Glendale.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project is ongoing.

## **INTERPRETATION**

Project Name/Code: Ballona Wetland Interpretation Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Interpretation

Location/Park Name: Ballona Wetlands, Santa Monica Bay Watershed

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$316,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 40 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6029

**Board Actions (Date):** 4/24/06 **Resolution Number:** 06-33

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Public access and interpretation of air, land, and water resources in the Ballona Wetlands portion of the Santa Monica Bay Watershed.

# V. PROJECT STATUS

Project ongoing.

## **INTERPRETATION**

Project Name/Code: Interpretation Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Interpretation

Location/Park Name: Santa Monica Mountains, ROV

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$1,392,613.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 40 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6029

**Board Actions (Date):** 9/27/04 **Resolution Number:** 04/82

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Interpretation of land, air, and water resources at Upper Las Virgenes Canyon Open Space Preserve, Temescal Gateway Park, Franklin Canyon Park, Mentryville, and Towsley Canyon.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project is ongoing.

## **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: King Gillette Ranch Interpretation Improvements Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

**Location/Park Name:** King Gillette Ranch

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$150,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 40 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6029

**Board Actions (Date):** 4/30/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-30

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Development of land and water resources at King Gillette Ranch, unincorporated County of Los Angeles.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Capital equipment acquired.

## **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: King Gillette Ranch Health and Safety Improvements Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvement

**Location/Park Name:** King Gillette Ranch

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$581,809.95 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 40 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6029

**Board Actions (Date):** 9/27/04 **Resolution Number:** 04-78

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Health and Safety improvements at King Gillette Ranch.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Improvement project ongoing.

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Lotte Melhorn Overlook Phase II - PP&D Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Project Planning and Design Location/Park Name: Mulholland Scenic Parkway

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$17,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 40 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6029

**Board Actions (Date):** 8/28/06 **Resolution Number:** 06-62

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Project planning and design of the Charles and Lottie Melhorn Overlook, Phase II, Mulholland Scenic Parkway, Los Angeles.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project complete. Pending final billing.

## **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: Mentryville Improvements Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Improvement Location/Park Name: Mentryville

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$500,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 40 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6029

**Board Actions (Date):** 6/5/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-45

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Development and improvement of land and water resources at Mentryville, Santa Clarita.

#### V. PROJECT STATUS

Project ongoing.

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: Project Planning and Design Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Project Planning and Design

**Location/Park Name:** Santa Monica Mountains and Rim of Valley Corridor

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

Grantee: Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$400,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 40 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6029

**Board Actions (Date):** 1/23/06 **Resolution Number:** 06-07

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Project Planning and Design services.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project ongoing.

## **IMPROVEMENT**

Project Name/Code: Towsley Improvements Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Improvement Location/Park Name: Towsley Canyon

## II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$240,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 40 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6029

**Board Actions (Date):** 6/5/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-44

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Development and improvement of land and water resources at Towsley Canyon, Santa Clarita.

#### V. PROJECT STATUS

Project Ongoing.

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: West Mulholland Trailhead Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Project Planning and Design
Location/Park Name: West Mulholland, Woodland Hills

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$338,317.20 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 40 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-6029

**Board Actions (Date):** 7/25/05 **Resolution Number:** 05-54

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Planning and construction of the West Mulholland Watershed Demonstration Facility, Woodland Hills.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project in planning stage.

# **ACQUISITION**

Project Name/Code: Desert and Mountain Conservancy Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Acquisition

Location/Park Name: Santa Clara River Watershed

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

Entity Grant is From: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Grantee: Desert and Mountain Conservancy

**Total Grant Amount:** \$50,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 12 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-0005

**Board Actions (Date):** 6/5/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-34

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Provide pre-acquisition services such as land appraisals, title reports, mapping and land owners contacts for the protection of habitat linkages between the Sierra Pelona and San Gabriel mountain ranges and in the Upper Santa Clara River Watershed.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

No progress.

## **IMPROVEMENTS**

Project Name/Code: Minor Capital Outlay Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Improvements

**Location/Park Name:** Mentryville and Wilacre Park

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$191,675.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 12 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-0005

**Board Actions (Date):** 9/27/04 **Resolution Number:** 04-75

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Enhancement and/or restoration of capital; assets owned and/or operated by the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority (MRCA), specifically the Mentryville water system and Wilacre Park Trailhead, and related equipment purchases.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Park Enhancement and Restoration Equipment: No activity. Mentryville Water System Improvements: Staff made improvements to the water sustem including fire suppression lines. Wilacre Park Trailhead Improvements: Project complete.

# **ACQUISITION**

Project Name/Code: Soledad Canyon CAPP Acquisition Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Acquisition **Location/Park Name:** Soledad Canyon

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$123,728.88 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 12 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-0005

**Board Actions (Date):** 6/5/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-43

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

# IV. NARRATIVE

Acquire property within the Soledad Canyon Conceptual Area Protection Plan approved by the California Department of Fish and Game, unincorporated Los Angeles County.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

No activity reported.

# **ACQUISITION**

Project Name/Code: Tax Defaulted Parcels Acquisition / Santa Clara River Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

**Type of Project:** Acquisition

Location/Park Name: Santa Clara River Watershed

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$150,000.00 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 12 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-0005

**Board Actions (Date):** 6/5/07 **Resolution Number:** 07-42

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

## IV. NARRATIVE

Acquire tax defaulted properties in the upper Santa Clara River watershed and the San Gabriel Mountains, unincorporated Los Angeles County.

# V. PROJECT STATUS

No activity reported.

## PROJECT PLANNING AND DESIGN

Project Name/Code: West Mulholland Trailhead Agency: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

## I. GENERAL PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION

Type of Project: Project Planning and Design
Location/Park Name: West Mulholland, Woodland Hills

#### II. GRANT INFORMATION

**Entity Grant is From:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

**Grantee:** Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority

**Total Grant Amount:** \$427,397.60 **Funding Source(s):** Proposition 12 **Item of Appropriation:** 3810-301-0005

**Board Actions (Date):** 7/25/05 **Resolution Number:** 05-54

#### III. AMENDMENTS N/A

Amendment Amount: Funding Source(s): Item of Appropriation: Board Actions (Date): Resolution Number: Total Grant Amount:

#### IV. NARRATIVE

Planning and construction of the West Mulholland Watershed Demonstration Facility, Woodland Hills.

## V. PROJECT STATUS

Project in planning stage.



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